

State Senator John Broden

2006 Legislative Survey Results



Dear Friend:

Thank you for your recent participation in my 2006 legislative survey. I appreciate your time in responding and expressing your thoughts on a few of the issues currently before the Indiana General Assembly. I received close to 800 responses this year, and have included the survey results for your review.

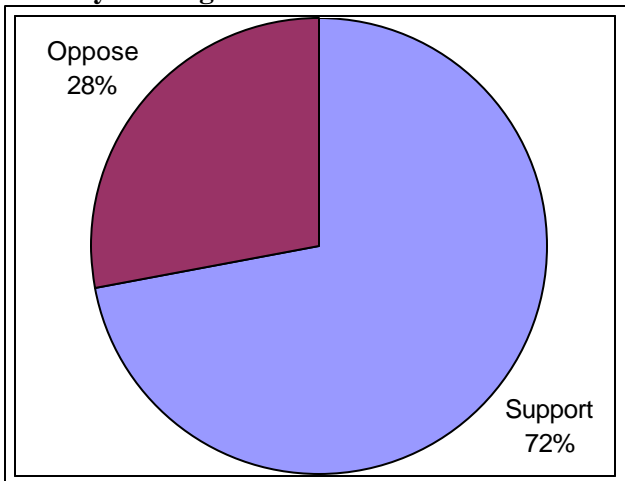
As you can see, there was overwhelming opposition to the sale or lease of the Indiana Toll Road. There was widespread support for an increase in the minimum wage and for waiting periods and background checks following legal gun purchases. Thank you again for participating in my 2006 legislative survey. Please do not hesitate to contact me with questions regarding the survey outcomes.

Sincerely,

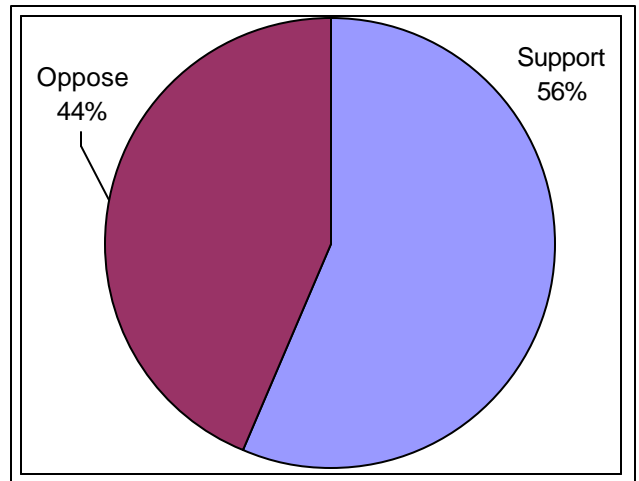
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State Senator, District 10

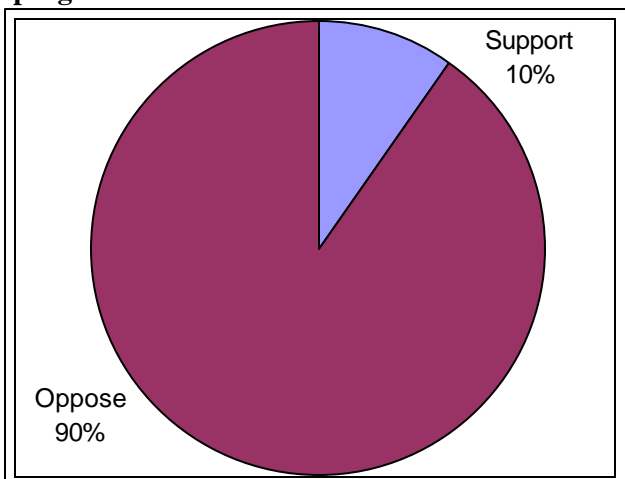
Question 1: To provide all children with the opportunity to get a good start on their education, do you support further expansion of full-day kindergarten?



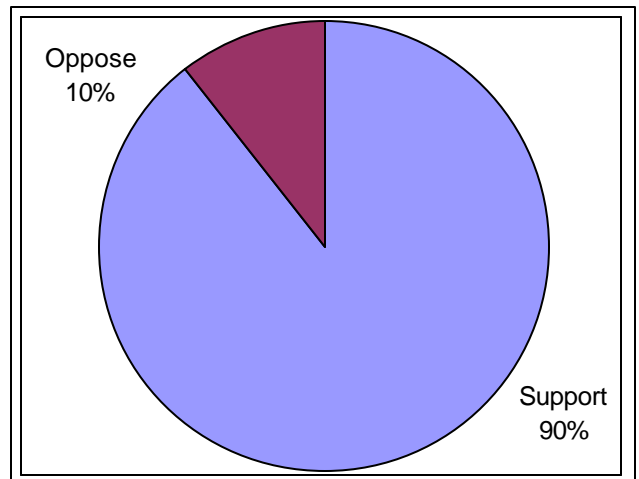
Question 2: Do you support the implementation of new local sales and/or income taxes if this would help to reduce property taxes?



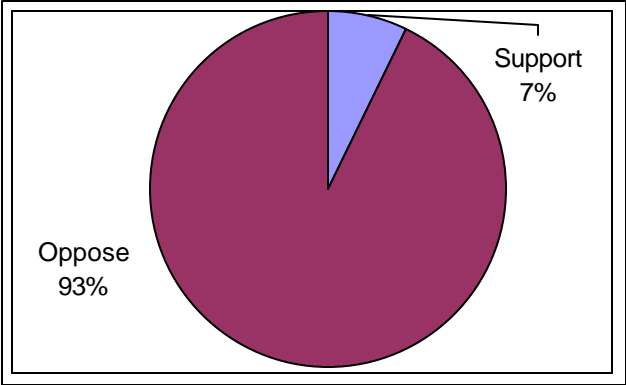
Question 3: Do you support the awarding of contracts to allow out-of-state companies to operate certain state government services and programs?



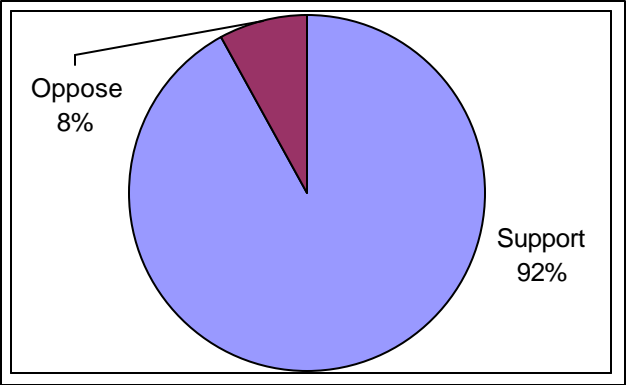
Question 4: Do you support legislation which would require Indiana Senate confirmation of state department heads similar to what is done in 48 other states and at the federal level?



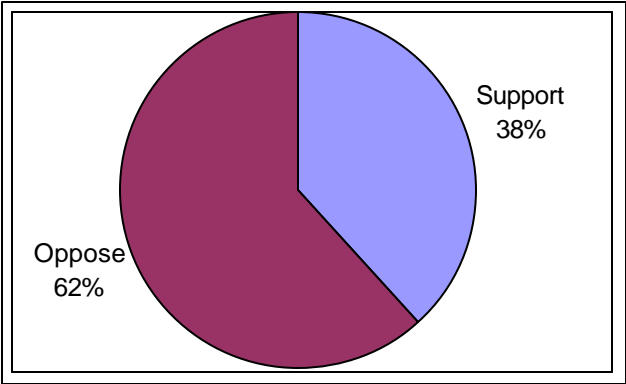
Question 5: Do you support the sale or lease of the Indiana Toll Road to a private entity to operate and control?



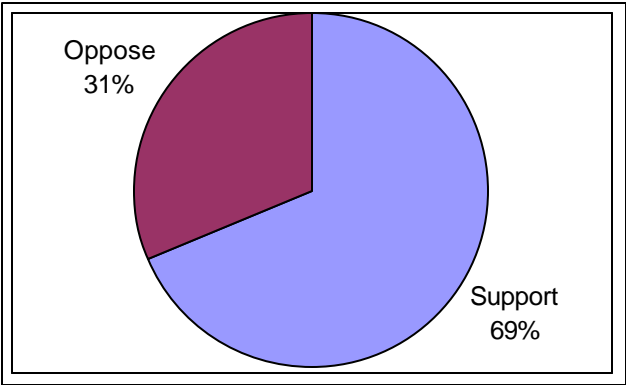
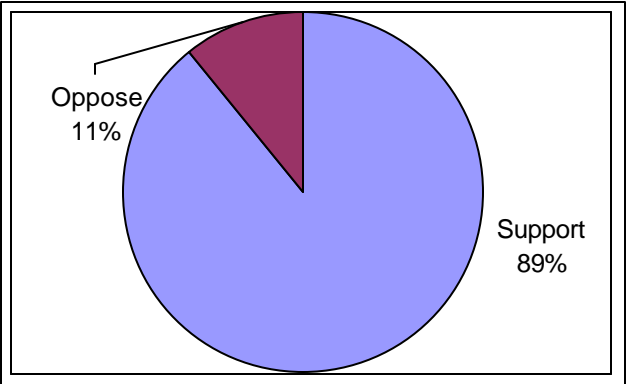
Question 6: Do you support legislation which would require an appropriate waiting period and background check for all legal gun purchases?



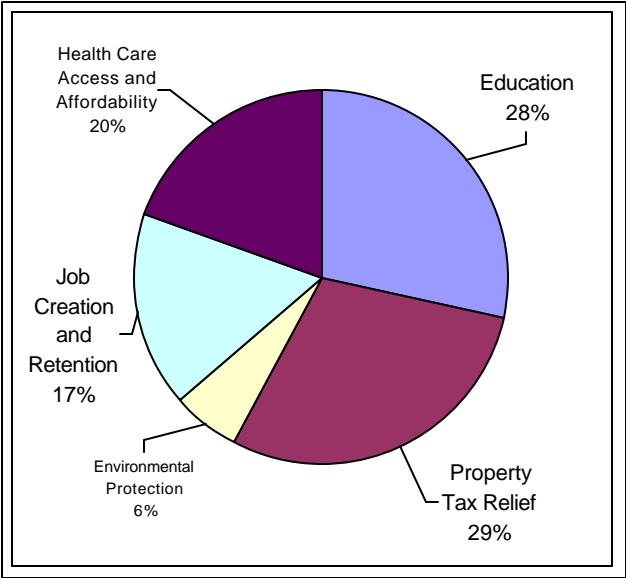
Question 7: Do you support legislation to legalize electronic gaming machines, i.e. cherry masters and pull tabs?



Question 8: Do you support an increase in the current \$5.15 per hour minimum wage?



Question 9: Do you support the state giving local units of government the option to consolidate various government functions at their own discretion?



Question 10: What do you believe are the most pressing issues facing the State of Indiana?

- Education**
- Environmental protection**
- Property tax relief**
- Health care access and affordability**
- Job creation and retention**

